(c) In 1973 the average pit-head price of coal was Rs. 37.50 per tonne. With effect from 28-12-1991 the average pit-head price of coal produced by Coal India Limited is Rs. 322.00 per tonne and that of SCCL is Rs. 388.00 per tonne.

(d) The estimated impact on the major coal consumers because of the price increase w.e.f. 28-12-1991 is as follows :—

	CIL	SCCL
Power (paise/KWH)	5	6·48
Steel (Rs./tonne)	250·50	..
Cement (Rs./tonne)	18·25	22·75

(e) The steps taken to improve the productivity and minimise the cost of production in Coal India Limited are as follows :—

(i) Improved manpower planning including redeployment of surplus workers and restricting the intake of new employees against vacancies caused by natural wastage.

(ii) Control on increase in manpower through voluntary retirement scheme.

(iii) The concept of 'all men—all jobs' is being tried on an experimental basis.

(iv) Improvement in the availability and utilisation of equipment by providing adequate workshop support, improved management spares and timely rehabilitation of equipments.

(v) increase in production and productivity with special emphasis on underground mines.

(vi) A number of systems improvements and managerial measures have been adopted to improve efficiency of operations.

Foriegn fishing trawlers captured by coast guard

464. SHRI S. S. AHLUWALIA : Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that the Coast Guard in the recent past had captured many fishing trawlers of foreign countries in the Indian territorial waters ;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof ;

(c) whether marine products were also recovered in such trawlers ; and

(d) what action Government have taken to check the menace ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR) : (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The countrywise details of foreign trawlers apprehended by the Coast Guard are as follows :—

Name of the country	Year	
	1991	1992 (upto 23-2-92)
Sri Lanka	11	5
Myanmar	10	1
Thailand	5	2
South Korea	1	..
Pakistan	4	7
Bangladesh	—	10
Taiwan	—	1
	31	26

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) Coast Guard ships and aircraft maintain a constant vigil in the Indian Exclusive Economic Zone, especially in the areas prone to poaching by foreign fishing vessels, in order to deter poaching activities in the EEZ.

Use of IAF aircrafts by VVIPs

465. SHRI P. UPENDRA : Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state ;

(a) whether special I.A.F. aircrafts have been earmarked for use by VVIPs like the President, Vice-President, Prime Minister and Defence Minister; and

(b) whether these aircrafts can be used by other Ministers also, if so, for what purposes?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS WITH ADDITIONAL CHARGE OF THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE (SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR): (a) and (b) IAF have earmarked some aircraft for use by the President, the Vice President and the Prime Minister. If these aircrafts are not required for the use of the aforesaid dignitaries, the Defence Minister and other Ministers are also entitled to use them for essential journeys.

रक्षा अनुसंधान तथा विकास संगठन द्वारा निजी क्षेत्र को प्रौद्योगिकी का हस्तांतरण

466. श्री अजीत जोगी :
कुमारी सुशीला तिरिया :

क्या रक्षा मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) क्या यह सच है कि रक्षा अनुसंधान तथा विकास संगठन ने अनेक नई प्रौद्योगिकियों का विकास किया है जो कि निजी क्षेत्र के उद्योगों को हस्तांतरित की जा रही हैं ;

(ख) क्या इन प्रौद्योगिकियों का हस्तांतरण राष्ट्रीय अनुसंधान विकास निगम के माध्यम से किया जाता है अथवा किसी अन्य संगठन के माध्यम से ; और

(ग) सातवीं पंचवर्षीय योजनावधि के दौरान रक्षा अनुसंधान तथा विकास संगठन द्वारा निजी क्षेत्र के उद्योगों को कितनी प्रौद्योगिकियों का हस्तांतरण किया गया तथा उनका ब्यौरा क्या है?

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री तथा रक्षा मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री का अतिरिक्त प्रभार (श्री एस० कृष्ण कुमार): (क) जी, हां।

(ख) प्रौद्योगिकियों का हस्तांतरण रक्षा अनुसंधान विकास संगठन द्वारा सीधे ही तथा राष्ट्रीय अनुसंधान विकास निगम के माध्यम दोनों ही प्रकार से किया जा रहा है ।

(ग) सातवीं योजना की अवधि में 153 रक्षा अनुसंधान विकास संगठन प्रौद्योगिकियों को निजी क्षेत्र के उद्योगों को हस्तांतरित किया गया है । प्रौद्योगिकियों का विषयवार विवरण इस प्रकार है :-

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